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PART IV-A

Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 17th August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

No. GTD/2023-11/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Agriculture Diversification Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to double the income of tribal farmers, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme different higher quality seeds and different fertilizers (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the tribal farmers of tribal districts of Gujarat (Banaskantha, Sabarkantha, Aravalli, Mahisagar, Panchmahal, Dahod, Chhota udepur, Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.

- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or
 - vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely:-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,

Joint Secretary to Government.

**TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
NOTIFICATION**

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 17th August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

No. GTD/2023-12/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Fruit Plant Distribution Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to double the income of tribal farmers, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme different fruit grafts (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the tribal farmers of tribal districts of Gujarat (Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari and Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely:-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and-
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:

- i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
- ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
- iii. Passport; or
- iv. Ration Card; or
- v. Voter Identity Card; or
- vi. MGNREGA Card; or
- vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
- viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
- ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
- x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely :-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.
4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,

Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

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efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Goat Rearing Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to increase the income of tribal farmers, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme assistance to buy 10 goats and 1 goat (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) is given to the women tribal beneficiaries of tribal districts of Gujarat (Banaskantha, Sabarkantha, Aravalli, Mahisagar, Panchmahal, Dahod, Chhota udepur, Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely:-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely:-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or
 - vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department;

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2 In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.

3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely :-

- a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
- b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
- c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

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TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023

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No. GTD/2023-14/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **GPSC Class-I and Class-II Coaching and SPIPA Entrance Coaching Scheme** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), to make efforts to ensure that maximum number of ST students pass through Class-I, Class-II and Class-III posts of government job and join the mainstream of society which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme coaching for Class-I, Class-II and Class-III posts of government job (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) is given to the Scheduled Tribe Students of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
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Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely: -

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
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 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely:-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;

- c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

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AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **High-End Skill Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to double the income of Schedule Tribe youth, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme skill base training to tribal youth with at least 10th pass students (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) is given to the Scheduled Tribe students of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

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AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Integrated Dairy Development Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to increase the income of tribal women, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme 2 milch animals and other required equipment like utensils kit, cattle transportation, cattle insurance, cattle hospitality, training to the beneficiaries (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the women tribal beneficiaries of tribal districts of Gujarat (Banaskantha, Sabarkantha, Aravalli, Mahisagar, Panchmahal, Dahod, Chhota udepur, Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

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- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and—
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or

- vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
- viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
- ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
- x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely :-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.
4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,
Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

No. GTD/2023-17/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Medical and Engineering Entrance Coaching Scheme** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), to get admission in the Medical and engineering colleges in all reserved seats allocated to Schedule

Tribe Students, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme coaching material and coaching given by subject specialist and experienced teachers (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the Scheduled Tribe students of Gujarat studying in 12th Science (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or
 - vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.

3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely :-

- a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
- b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
- c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,

Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

No. GTD/2023-18/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Vertical Cropping System (Mandap) Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), to provide financial assistance for purchase of necessary equipment and materials for preparation of vertical cropping structure (Pakka Mandap) for vegetable farming, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*));

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme financial assistance of Rs.14,560/- through DBT (Direct Benefit Transfer) for the purchase of equipment required for preparation of vertical cropping structure (Pakka Mandap) in 10 guntha of land for crops (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) is given to the tribal farmers of tribal districts of Gujarat (Banaskantha, Sabarkantha, Aravalli, Mahisagar, Panchmahal, Dahod, Chhota udepur, Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or
 - vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely :-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar

letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,
Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 17th August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

No. GTD/2023-19/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Assistance for Power Tillers Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to increase the income of tribal farmers, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme assistance for purchase of Power Tillers (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) is given to the tribal farmers of tribal districts of Gujarat (Banaskantha, Sabarkantha, Aravalli, Mahisagar, Panchmahal, Dahod, Chhota udepur, Bharuch, Dang, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely :-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and–
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
 - v. Voter Identity Card; or
 - vi. MGNREGA Card; or
 - vii. Kisan Photo Pass Book; or
 - viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
 - x. Any other document as specified by the Department;

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely: -
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in a seamless manner;
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.
4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,
Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023**AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.**

No. GTD/2023-21/TDD/DSG/e-file/25/2023/0494/P:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for the delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery process, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Tissue Culture Banana Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to help Tribal farmers avail and adopt cultivation facilities of cash fruit crops giving more economic benefit, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme 1200 tissue plant seedlings per 1 acre of land, fertilizer, training and guidance facility for 3 years (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the tribal farmers of tribal districts of Gujarat (Bharuch, Tapi, Surat, Narmada, Navsari, Valsad) (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely:-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of either possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for an Aadhaar, shall be required to make an application for an Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided he is entitled to obtain an Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are yet to be enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that, till the Aadhaar is assigned to the beneficiary, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such beneficiary subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he or she has enrolled, his or her Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and—
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely:
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
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 - iii. Passport; or
 - iv. Ration Card; or
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- ix. Certificate of identity having a photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on official letterhead; or
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Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the requirement of Aadhaar under the Scheme.
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 - b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.
4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,

Joint Secretary to Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 03rd August, 2023

AADHAAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016.

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AND WHEREAS Tribal Development Department, Government of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the Department"*), is administering the **Vocational Training Centres Project** (*hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme"*), with an aim to provide livelihood to Scheduled Tribe Youth, which is being implemented through the Development Support Agency of Gujarat, Gujarat State (*hereinafter referred to as "the Implementing Agency"*);

AND WHEREAS under the Scheme free of cost training with residential facility is provided and after completion of training guaranteed job placement (*hereinafter referred to as "the benefits"*) are given to the tribal youth of Gujarat (*hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiaries"*), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;:-

AND WHEREAS the Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Gujarat;:-

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (*hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"*), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely:-

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- b. in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
- c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of a physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response (QR) code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response (QR) code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.

4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception-handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India, dated the 19th December, 2017.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

R. H. VASAVA,

Joint Secretary to Government.

